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*Evergreen Nurseries*

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to Sturgeon Bay,  
Door Co., - - - Wis.

SPRING of 1901..

Catalogue *AND* Price List

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EVERGREEN NURSERY CO., Proprietors,

(SUCCESSORS TO GEO. PINNEY.)

STURGEON BAY, DOOR CO., WIS.

(FORMER POSTOFFICE, EVERGREEN, WIS.)

This List abrogates all former Price Lists and Quotations.

All orders for Spring of 1901 should be made from this Catalogue.

....CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION....

[A Tag like the following will be attached to every shipment made by us.]

AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION,  
MADISON, WISCONSIN, SEPT. 24, 1900.

*This Certifies that the Nursery Premises of*

EVERGREEN NURSERY COMPANY, STURGEON BAY, WISCONSIN,

Have been inspected by my agent, in accordance with Chap. 180, Laws of 1899, and have been found apparently free from San Jose Scale, or other dangerously injurious insects or plant diseases.

This certificate is void after May 31, 1901, and in any case unless signed on the bottom line by the party to whom it is made out. **W. A. HENRY, Director.**

We certify that the contents of this package have been officially inspected, and pronounced apparently free from the above specified insects or plant diseases.

(Signed Here.)



## Read Carefully Before Ordering.

**Shipping Season.**—In spring our shipping season varies some, but generally begins about April 1st and continues to June 1st. Some varieties of evergreens may be safely shipped as late as June 15th. We do not keep any evergreens stored in cellar for winter shipments. All stock is dug fresh from the nursery just before shipment.

**Terms.**—*Cash before shipment*, unless special agreement has been made for other terms of payment. No deviations from this rule.

**C. O. D. Orders** must be accompanied by sufficient cash to prepay charges both ways, or express or freight agents certificate must accompany order, guaranteeing that bill for goods and all charges will be paid by purchaser on arrival. No C. O. D. orders accepted on any other terms. It is not advisable for parties living in far away states to order large trees or any considerable quantity of small trees to be sent by express without having first ascertained how much the express charges will amount to.

**Remittances** may be made by draft on Chicago or New York. Express Money Order, Postal Money Order, or by registered letter, one and two cent stamps acceptable for all amounts under \$5.00 when it is more convenient for the remitter to send in that way. Customers must take upon themselves all risk of loss of currency or stamps sent in ordinary letters.

**Order Early** to be sure of having your stock at the time wanted. We are very much crowded during the shipping season, and only in exceptional cases do we fill orders other than in the regular order of their receipt. And as we may be sold short on some varieties, early customers may be more sure of getting all of the varieties selected if their orders are booked early in the season.

**Our Responsibility** ceases when delivery is made by us at the post office, express office or freight office. We do not guarantee stock to live; no firm doing business on sound business principles can give such guarantee. We do guarantee stock to be full count and true to name and in healthy growing condition when delivered to the transportation company, and to be thoroughly packed in the best possible manner. This guarantee, however, shall in no case make us liable for more than the original invoice value of the stock.

**All Claims** for shortage and for any other reason, must be made within five days of receipt of stock, in order to secure consideration. All errors made in filling orders, will be corrected without delay, if reported within five days accompanied by proper proof.

**Freight Charges** are very reasonable on nursery stock to nearly all parts of the country. Occasionally the freight or express carriers will make an overcharge through mistake of an employee. In that event, while we are in no wise responsible therefor, we always hold ourselves in readiness to take up the matter for customers and use every reasonable means to secure for them a refund of the overcharge from the carrier at fault.

**Return Charges** for money on C. O. D. freight, or express shipments must be paid by the customer. Shipments to points on railroads where there is no station agent must be prepaid by us, and in such cases the amount of freight should therefore be included in the remittance for order.



**Time of Arrival.**—Be sure to order far enough ahead of the time you will want your stock so that it will reach you in season. We cannot, and will not, be responsible for delays in transit, but we do follow every shipment with a tracer when requested and hurry it through by every means possible. Remember our shipping season does not open before April 1st, and continues until June 1st. to 15th.

**Shipping Directions.**—State distinctly whether you want the goods sent by freight or express, and tell us what R. R. to ship by if you have a preference. Write your name *plainly*, and give name of freight or express office if different from postoffice.

**Boxing Free** when cash is received before shipment, otherwise we make a charge to cover cost of box.

**Trees by Mail.**—Trees not more than 15 inches in height will be sent by mail when desired, by adding for postage and extra packing as follows:

**Add for Postage as Follows:**

|                                       | 3 to 4 in. | 4 to 8 in. | 8 to 15 in. |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Evergreen seedlings per 10.....       | 5c         | 10c        | 15c         |
| 100.....                              | 15c        | 20c        | 35c         |
| Evergreens, transplanted, per 10..... | 6c         | 12c        | 20c         |
| 100.....                              | 20c        | 25c        | 45c         |
| Deciduous Trees, per 10.....          | 3c         | 6c         | 20c         |
| 100.....                              | 10c        | 25c        | 50c         |

(Don't order trees at above prices, as they are merely estimates of cost of postage.)

**Special Prices** given on large orders. 50 of any one variety sold at 100 rates, and 500 of any one variety at 1000 rates

**No Order** accepted for less than one dollar.

**Success** depends in a large measure on the treatment given stock after received by the planter. Thousands of well grown, healthy specimens, delivered in first-class condition, are annually lost through neglect and bad treatment. Avoid all unnecessary exposure to the air. The natural place for the roots of trees is in the ground; as soon as received they should be heeled in, so that mellow earth will come in contact with all the roots. When planting take out but few at a time. A few minutes exposure, to the hot sun and drying winds is sure death to many trees, especially Evergreens. When trees and plants are received dip roots in thick mixture of water and soil, then bury the roots deep in moist shady ground until planted.

## To Our Friends and Patrons.

We are better prepared than ever this spring to fill orders for nursery stock in a manner that will insure satisfaction in every respect. We pack everything in the very best quality of Spagnum moss; moss that has never been dried out and then dampened again before using; it is wet with the natural moisture it had while growing in its natural state. Our packers will not be permitted to make any substitutions, unless by consent of the purchaser. We had exceptionally fine growing seasons the last two years, and everything in the nursery is in most excellent condition. If you will entrust us with your orders, we will perform our part faithfully, carefully follow out all instructions, and are sure that we can deliver you stock that will give you the utmost satisfaction. Try us, and let us prove to you our ability. Some of the most noted horticulturists and forestry experts who have had opportunity to inspect and note the methods of packing for shipment practiced by various nurserymen, pronounce our methods the best, safest, and most perfect of any, and we are justly proud of the fact that our shipments will reach any point in the United States or Europe in perfect condition, and are uninjured even when long delayed in transit.



# Transplanted and Seedling Evergreens.

NOTE.—“transp” designates transplanted, and “seedgs” designates seedlings.

Please do not order 12 in. trees at the price of 8 to 12, nor 18 in. trees at price of 12 to 18 in. If special sizes are desired, write for prices, which will be in proportion to prices on regular sizes.

## ARBOR VITAE, *Thuya*.

See last page of this list for illustrations of forms for Arbor Vitae Hedges.

### AMERICAN, *Thuya occidentalis*.

A favorite everywhere for hedges, wind-breaks, ornamental planting on lawns and in cemeteries. The best evergreen conifer (cone bearing tree) in America for hedges and almost invariably used for that purpose in hedges around cemetery lots. Can be trimmed into a great variety of shapes; in fact, can be shaped by use of the pruning shears into any form desired. Will stand any amount of pruning and grow all the more thrifty therefor. Grown singly on the lawn needs no pruning at all, but will form naturally a beautifully conical shape, regular and symmetrical. We recommend the transplanted stock for all hedge and single specimen planting.

|           |              | EACH | 10   | 100    | 1000    |
|-----------|--------------|------|------|--------|---------|
| Transp.   | 4 to 8 in.   | .05  | 25   | \$1 50 | \$12 00 |
|           | 8 to 12 in.  | .06  | 35   | 2 50   | 20 00   |
|           | 12 to 18 in. | .10  | 50   | 3 75   | 30 00   |
|           | 18 to 24 in. | .15  | 1 00 | 7 00   | 52 00   |
|           | 2 to 3 ft.   | .25  | 1 75 | 9 00   | 75 00   |
|           | 3 to 4 ft.   | .30  | 2 00 | 12 00  | 100 00  |
|           | 4 to 5 ft.   | .35  | 3 00 | 25 00  | 225 00  |
|           | Seedgs.      |      |      |        |         |
|           | 2 to 4 in.   | .01  | 04   | 30     | 2 00    |
|           | 4 to 8 in.   | .02  | 05   | 40     | 3 00    |
| Very fine | 8 to 12 in.  | .03  | 10   | 80     | 6 50    |
|           | 12 to 18 in. | .04  | 20   | 1 50   | 11 00   |
|           | 18 to 24 in. | .06  | 30   | 2 00   | 16 00   |
|           | 2 to 3 ft.   | .08  | 40   | 3 00   | 25 00   |

Notwithstanding the fact that our prices are 25 to 50 per cent. lower than other reliable nurseries, our American Arbor Vitae are unquestionably the finest plants of that variety obtainable in this or in any other country, and we take a great deal of pride in offering them to the public. They are exceptionally well rooted, and will live and thrive in many situations impossible to any other Evergreen. Special prices to the trade and large consumers.

## FIR, *Abies*.

### BALSAM, *Abies balsamea*.

Hardy everywhere, and a very beautiful tree. In very old age lower limbs should be trimmed. It has been written that the timber is worthless, but we know of some used as rafters in a building put up more than thirty years ago and it is still perfectly sound. This tree yields the “Canada Balsam,” valued for its healing qualities. Fine for lawn planting. Our stock of transplanted Balsam is exceptionally fine. They are extra well rooted and stocky. We do not hesitate to recommend them for specimen or general planting anywhere. They grow equally well on high or low ground, and if planted singly will make wide spreading trees of symmetrical, conical shape.

|           |              | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000  |
|-----------|--------------|------|------|-------|-------|
| Transp.   | 4 to 8 in.   | .05  | 25   | 1 25  | 10 00 |
|           | 8 to 12 in.  | .08  | 35   | 2 50  | 20 00 |
|           | 12 to 18 in. | .10  | 60   | 5 00  | 42 00 |
|           | 18 to 24 in. | .15  | 1 25 | 9 00  | 80 00 |
|           | 2 to 3 ft.   | .25  | 2 00 | 15 00 | ..... |
|           | 3 to 4 ft.   | .30  | 2 50 | 20 00 | ..... |
|           | 4 to 5 ft.   | .40  | 3 00 | 25 00 | ..... |
|           | 5 to 6 ft.   | .60  | 5 00 | 45 00 | ..... |
|           | Seedgs.      |      |      |       |       |
|           | 2 to 4 in.   | .01  | 05   | 35    | 2 50  |
| Very fine | 4 to 8 in.   | .02  | 06   | 45    | 3 50  |
|           | 8 to 12 in.  | .04  | 10   | 75    | 6 50  |
|           | 12 to 18 in. | .06  | 20   | 1 50  | 11 00 |
|           | 18 to 24 in. | .10  | 30   | 2 00  | 15 00 |
|           | 2 to 3 ft.   | .12  | 40   | 3 00  | 22 00 |

We have several millions of the smaller size Arbor Vitae and Balsam seedlings to offer, and nurserymen desiring them in large quantities for nursery planting will find it to their advantage to write us for special prices, stating variety, size and quantity of each they can use. We are confident that we can meet all legitimate competition along this line.

### COLORADO SILVER, *Abies concolor*.

A distinct and beautiful species, with yellow bark on the young branches, and unusually long foliage of light green color.

|         |              | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000  |
|---------|--------------|------|------|-------|-------|
| Transp. | 8 to 12 in.  | .25  | 2 00 | 15 00 | ..... |
|         | 12 to 18 in. | .35  | 2 50 | 20 00 | ..... |
|         | 2 to 4 in.   | .05  | 25   | 1 25  | ..... |
|         | 4 to 6 in.   | .08  | 30   | 1 75  | ..... |
| Seedgs. | 6 to 8 in.   | .10  | 40   | 2 75  | ..... |

### EUROPEAN SILVER, *Abies pectinata*.

Stately specimen, green and silver foliage.

|         |              | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000  |
|---------|--------------|------|------|-------|-------|
| Transp. | 12 to 18 in. | .25  | 2 00 | ..... | ..... |
|         | 18 to 24 in. | .30  | 2 50 | ..... | ..... |
|         | 2 to 3 ft.   | .40  | 3 50 | ..... | ..... |

Gentlemen:—

The Balsam fir I got from you last year have done exceptionally well. I saved every one of them.

Yours respectfully,

MINNEHAHA CO., DAK., Feb. 19, 1900.

J. R. JONES.



**JUNIPER, *Juniperus*.**

|   |                     | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000   |
|---|---------------------|------|------|-------|--------|
| <b>ENGLISH, <i>J. communis vulgaris</i>.</b>  | Seedgs. 2 to 3 ft.. | 15   | 1 00 | 8 00  | .....  |
| <b>SAVIN, <i>Jun. Sabina Prostrata</i>.</b><br>A beautiful trailing evergreen, shady,<br>sandy places.  | " 8 to 12 in.       | 10   | 50   | 4 00  | 35 00  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.      | 12   | 75   | 7 00  | 60 00  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.      | 15   | 1 00 | 9 00  | 80 00  |
| <b>AMERICAN, <i>J. Prostrata Nana</i>.</b><br>Dry, sandy and exposed places. Grows<br>18 inches to 4 feet high, and spreads from<br>6 to 28 feet. Royal lawn specimens. | Seedgs. 8 to 12 in. | 10   | 75   | 6 00  | 50 00  |
|   | " 12 to 15 in.      | 15   | 90   | 8 00  | 70 00  |
|   | " 15 to 18 in.      | 25   | 1 75 | 15 00 | 125 00 |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.      | 30   | 2 00 | 18 00 | 150 00 |

**PINE, *Pinus*.**

|   |                      | EACH | 10    | 100   | 1000   |
|---|----------------------|------|-------|-------|--------|
| <b>AUSTRIAN, <i>Pinus Austriaca</i>.</b><br>A large, spreading tree, growing to a height<br>of about 120 feet. Hardy everywhere,<br>growing in almost any soil and climate<br>but prefers a rich loam, well drained.<br>Recommended for wind-breaks. Also a<br>rapid growing timber tree. Experienced<br>western planters prize it highly as one of<br>the evergreens that will withstand the<br>severe droughts of the western plains.<br>They have a long tap root. | Transp. 4 to 8 in..  | 06   | 50    | 3 00  | 25 00  |
|   | " 8 to 12 in.        | 08   | 60    | 4 50  | 40 00  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.       | 10   | 80    | 7 00  | 60 00  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.       | 15   | 1 00  | 8 00  | 70 00  |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft..        | 20   | 1 50  | 10 00 | 80 00  |
|   | " 3 to 4 ft..        | 30   | 2 50  | 15 00 | 100 00 |
|   | " 4 to 5 ft..        | 40   | 3 50  | 25 00 | .....  |
|   | " 5 to 6 ft..        | 50   | 4 00  | 30 00 | .....  |
| <b>PONDEROSA, <i>Pinus Ponderosa</i>.</b><br>A noble tree. Hardy, thriving in any soil<br>and endures drouth. A very rapid grower.<br>We recommend it to tree planters. Specially<br>adapted to the western prairie country.<br>Our stock is all grown from seed<br>gathered specially for us and customers<br>may place absolute dependence on ours<br>being of true, hardy variety.   | Seedgs. 4 to 6 in..  | 05   | 20    | 1 00  | 6 00   |
|   | Transp. 4 to 8 in..  | 08   | 50    | 3 50  | 28 00  |
|   | " 8 to 12 in.        | 10   | 75    | 6 00  | .....  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.       | 15   | 1 00  | 8 00  | .....  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.       | 20   | 1 50  | 12 00 | .....  |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft..        | 30   | ..... | ..... | .....  |
| <b>SCOTCH, <i>Pinus Sylvestris</i>.</b><br>The common Pine of northern Europe. It<br>is entirely hardy, and a rapid grower. The<br>foliage has a beautiful bluish shade. A<br>valuable and desirable tree. Highly re-<br>commended by the best authorities for<br>planting in the dry western country. In<br>good demand, and early orders advisable.   | Seedgs. 3 to 4 in..  | 03   | 15    | 1 00  | 8 00   |
|   | " 4 to 8 in..        | 05   | 25    | 1 50  | 10 00  |
|   | Transp. 4 to 8 in..  | 06   | 35    | 3 00  | 26 00  |
|   | " 8 to 12 in.        | 08   | 50    | 4 00  | 35 00  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.       | 10   | 80    | 6 50  | 40 00  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.       | 15   | 1 25  | 10 00 | .....  |
| <b>WHITE, <i>Pinus strobus</i>.</b><br>A large native tree, of great value both<br>for timber and ornament. Foliage finer<br>and softer than that of most other Pines,<br>and of a pleasant light bluish green. This<br>is the Pine of the lumbering regions of<br>New England, Wisconsin and Michigan.<br>Root Pruned Pine are considered by<br>many to be better than transplanted.<br>These 3 to 4 ft. were Root Pruned in 1900.                                   | " 2 to 3 ft..        | 20   | 1 75  | 15 00 | .....  |
|   | " 3 to 4 ft..        | 30   | 2 50  | 20 00 | .....  |
|   | " 5 to 6 ft..        | 50   | ..... | ..... | .....  |
|   | Seedgs. 4 to 6 in..  | ..   | 15    | 75    | 6 00   |
|   | " 6 to 10 in.        | 05   | 20    | 1 25  | 9 00   |
|   | " 10 to 12 in.       | 06   | 15    | 1 60  | 13 00  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.       | 07   | 30    | 2 00  | 16 00  |
|   | Root } 3 to 4 ft..   | 40   | 3 00  | 20 00 | 150 00 |
| <b>BANKSIANIAN, <i>P. banksiana</i>.</b><br>A native of arid regions of the northwest.<br>Its chief characteristic being that it will<br>grow on the very poorest soil, even to the<br>sand soils almost devoid of moisture.<br>Stands severest cold of northern Wis.<br>Recommended for dry western plains.  | Pruned } 4 to 5 ft.. | 50   | 4 50  | ..... | .....  |
|   | " 5 to 6 ft..        | 75   | 6 50  | ..... | .....  |
|   | Seedgs. 4 to 8 in..  | 03   | 25    | 1 50  | 12 00  |
|   | " 8 to 10 in.        | 05   | 30    | 2 00  | 15 00  |
|   | " 10 to 12 in.       | 08   | 40    | 3 25  | 20 00  |
|   | " 12 to 15 in.       | 10   | 60    | 4 50  | 35 00  |
| <b>NORWAY, <i>Pinus rigida</i></b><br>One of the most stately of the pines.<br>Hardy anywhere. Grows on dry soils. In<br>appearance similar to the Scotch and<br>Austrian, but much more valuable timber.   | " 15 to 18 in.       | 15   | 75    | 6 00  | 45 00  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.       | 20   | 1 00  | 7 00  | 55 00  |
|   | Seedgs. 8 to 12 in.  | 08   | 35    | 3 00  | 22 00  |
|   | " 12 to 15 in.       | 10   | 60    | 5 00  | 38 00  |
|   | " 15 to 18 in.       | 12   | 75    | 6 50  | 50 00  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.       | 15   | 1 00  | 7 50  | 60 00  |

Gentlemen:—

NICOLLET CO., MINN., May 23, 1900.

The trees ordered have been received in good condition and am much pleased with them.

Yours truly,

JOHN MALMEBERG.



**RED CEDAR, *Juniperus Virginiana*.****RED CEDAR, *Juniperus Virginiana*.**

From Dakota Seed.

Too well known to need description. Our stock of this variety is first-class and was grown from seed in our own nursery, and the hardest to be found in the country. The fact that they have stood three of our severest winters without injury proves their hardiness. They are better than any other Red Cedar stock offered.

|                    |             | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000  |
|--------------------|-------------|------|------|-------|-------|
| Twice Transp. Fine | 4 to 8 in.  | 12   | 80   | 6 00  | ..... |
|                    | 8 to 12 in  | 15   | 1 25 | 10 00 | ..... |
|                    | 12 to 18 in | 25   | 2 00 | 18 00 | ..... |
| Seedgs.            | 2 to 4 in.. | 03   | 20   | 1 50  | 12 00 |
|                    | 4 to 6 in.. | 04   | 25   | 2 00  | 17 00 |
|                    | 6 to 8 in.. | 05   | 30   | 2 50  | 20 00 |

Our Red Cedar seed comes from the most extreme northern latitude. We never sow any southern seed, as it would not stand our climate.

**SPRUCE, *Abies*. (*Picea*.)****COLORADO BLUE, *Picea pungens*.**

A hardy tree, of dense pyramidal growth. Seedlings a beautiful blue green, and occasionally a tree is almost as blue as the sky. An exceedingly beautiful and attractive lawn tree. We cannot pick out all the *best* specimens for our customers and let the next one take what is left. Will sell only as they run in the nursery.

|         |              | EACH | 10    | 100   | 1000   |
|---------|--------------|------|-------|-------|--------|
| Transp. | 3 to 4 in..  | 10   | 80    | 7 00  | 50 00  |
|         | 4 to 8 in..  | 13   | 1 00  | 8 50  | 65 00  |
|         | 8 to 10 in.. | 15   | 1 25  | 10 00 | 75 00  |
|         | 10 to 12 in. | 25   | 1 75  | 15 00 | 85 00  |
|         | 12 to 18 in. | 35   | 2 50  | 20 00 | 140 00 |
| Seedgs. | 5 to 6 ft..  | \$2  | ..... | ..... | .....  |
|         | 3 to 5 in..  | 03   | 20    | 1 50  | 12 50  |
|         | 5 to 8 in..  | 05   | 30    | 2 50  | 20 00  |

**DOUGLASS, *Douglassi*.**

A rapid grower, dark foliage: beautiful. We guarantee absolutely correct variety.

|         |             |    |    |      |       |
|---------|-------------|----|----|------|-------|
| Seedgs. | 3 to 4 in.. | 03 | 20 | 1 50 | 12 00 |
|         | 4 to 6 in.. | 05 | 25 | 2 00 | 18 00 |
|         | 6 to 8 in.. | 07 | 30 | 2 50 | 22 00 |

**ENGLEMANN'S, *A. Englemanni*.**

A tall, pyramidal tree, a native of the Rocky Mountains. A fine ornamental tree.

|         |             |    |    |      |       |
|---------|-------------|----|----|------|-------|
| Transp. | 3 to 4 in.. | 05 | 40 | 3 50 | 30 00 |
|         | 4 to 6 in.. | 10 | 50 | 4 50 | 40 00 |
|         | 6 to 10 in. | 12 | 75 | 6 00 | ..... |

**HEMLOCK, *Abies Canadensis*.**

One of the hardest and fastest growers: loose, open growth, but when pruned makes a very dense growth: very graceful and beautiful: useful as single specimens or for hedges. Many think it has no equal. Will stand shearing nearly as well as Arbor Vitae. Our stock of this variety has no equal. The large sizes have an extraordinary supply of roots and can be transplanted with absolute safety. We do not hesitate to recommend them because they are sure to give satisfaction to the most exacting customers.

|              |              |                   |       |       |        |
|--------------|--------------|-------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Transp.      | 4 to 8 in..  | 05                | 35    | 2 50  | 20 00  |
|              | 8 to 10 in.  | 10                | 50    | 3 75  | 27 00  |
|              | 10 to 12 in. | 15                | 75    | 5 00  | 38 00  |
|              | 12 to 15 in. | 20                | 1 00  | 7 50  | 60 00  |
|              | 15 to 18 in. | 25                | 1 25  | 9 00  | 70 00  |
|              | 18 to 24 in. | 40                | 2 50  | 18 00 | 140 00 |
| Extra Stocky | 3 to 4 ft..  | 75                | 6 00  | 50 00 | .....  |
|              | 4 to 5 ft..  | \$1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 10 00 | 75 00 | .....  |
| Transp.      | 5 to 6 ft..  | \$2               | 17 50 | ..... | .....  |
|              | 4 to 8 in.   | 02                | 10    | 75    | 6 00   |
| Seedgs.      | 8 to 12 in.  | 04                | 15    | 1 00  | 8 50   |

**NORWAY, *Abies excelsa*.**

An exceedingly beautiful and useful tree, and one we are pleased to recommend, as it is almost certain to give satisfaction. A better stock than ours is not to be found in the country. No imported stock, all home grown. We can furnish larger sizes of the transplanted than we have listed here.

|         |              |    |      |       |       |
|---------|--------------|----|------|-------|-------|
| Transp. | 4 to 8 in..  | 05 | 30   | 2 00  | 15 00 |
|         | 8 to 12 in.  | 08 | 40   | 3 00  | 20 00 |
|         | 12 to 15 in. | 10 | 80   | 6 00  | 50 00 |
|         | 15 to 18 in. | 12 | 1 00 | 8 00  | 65 00 |
|         | 18 to 24 in. | 15 | 1 25 | 10 00 | 80 00 |
| Seedgs. | 3 to 4 in..  | 03 | 15   | 75    | 5 00  |
|         | 4 to 6 in..  | 05 | 25   | 1 00  | 7 00  |

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN BLUE.**

Famous for its great beauty. It is not common owing to the scarcity of seed and great difficulty in getting stocks. An easy grower.

|         |             |                   |    |       |       |
|---------|-------------|-------------------|----|-------|-------|
| Transp. | 3 to 4 in.. | 08                | 50 | 3 50  | 25 00 |
|         | 4 to 6 in.. | 12                | 75 | 5 50  | 40 00 |
|         | 2 to 3 ft.. | \$1               | .. | ..... | ..... |
| Transp. | 3 to 4 ft.. | \$1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | .. | ..... | ..... |

**WHITE, *Abies alba*.**

A medium-sized, hardy tree, of pyramidal form and dense growth. Foliage light silvery green. A beautiful tree. Our stock of this variety is large, and all grown from seed in our own nursery, and we recommend them to our customers.

|         |              |    |      |       |       |
|---------|--------------|----|------|-------|-------|
| Transp. | 4 to 8 in..  | 05 | 40   | 3 00  | 25 00 |
|         | 8 to 12 in.  | 10 | 70   | 3 50  | 40 00 |
| Transp. | 12 to 18 in. | 15 | 1 00 | 5 50  | 65 00 |
|         | 18 to 24 in. | 25 | 2 00 | 17 00 | ..... |
|         | 2 to 3 ft..  | 35 | 3 00 | 25 00 | ..... |
|         | 3 to 4 ft..  | 50 | 4 00 | 35 00 | ..... |



**SPRUCE, Abies. (Continued.)**

|   | EACH                   | 10   | 100   | 1000   |
|---|------------------------|------|-------|--------|
| <b>BLACK, <i>Abies Nigra</i>.</b>   | Seeds. 8 to 12 in.. 10 | 75   | 5 00  | 35 00  |
| One of the most beautiful of all the hardy evergreens, and one of the easiest of the Spruce family to cultivate successfully. It grows to a large size on any good soil. Has very beautiful dark green foliage. | " 12 to 15 in.. 12     | 1 00 | 7 00  | 50 00  |
|   | " 15 to 18 in.. 15     | 1 25 | 10 00 | 75 00  |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.. 20     | 1 75 | 15 00 | 125 00 |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft.. 25       | 2 00 | 18 00 | 150 00 |
|   | " 3 to 4 ft.. 30       | 2 50 | 20 00 | 175 00 |

**Weeping Trees.**

**BIRCH, Cut Leaf Weeping.** *Betula pendula*. Transp. 6 to 8 ft. Each \$1.50.

**WILLOW, Kilmarnock,** *salix capraea var pendula*. Transp. 4 to 6 feet.  
Each, 50c; 10, \$4.50.

|   | EACH | 10    | 100   | 1000 |
|---|------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>WILLOW, Russian,</b> <i>salix</i> ..... Transp. 2 to 3 ft.. 25 | 2 00 | 15 00 | ..... |      |
| <b>WILLOW, Wisconsin,</b> <i>salix</i> .... " 2 to 3 ft.. 15      | 1 00 | 8 50  | ..... |      |

**Deciduous Shade and Ornamental Trees.****ASH, Fraxinus.**

|   | EACH                   | 10 | 100   | 1000  |
|---|------------------------|----|-------|-------|
| <b>BLACK, <i>Fraxinus sambucifolia</i>.</b>   | Seeds. 4 to 8 in.. 03  | 12 | 40    | 3 50  |
| A small tree of good form, with tough wood separable in layers, used for hoops and coarse baskets. Grows on any soil. | " 8 to 15 in.. 06      | 30 | 60    | 5 50  |
|   | " 15 to 24 in.. 08     | 40 | 1 50  | 12 00 |
|   | " 2 to 2 ft.. 10       | 50 | 2 50  | 22 00 |
| <b>WHITE, <i>Fraxinus Americana</i>.</b>  | Transp. 4 to 8 in.. 02 | 15 | 60    | 4 50  |
| A very fine, large, rapid growing tree, fine for parks, and large public grounds.                                     | " 8 to 12 in.. 03      | 17 | 75    | 5 50  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.. 05     | 20 | ..... | ..... |

**BEECH, Fagus.**

|  |                       |      |       |       |
|--|-----------------------|------|-------|-------|
| <b>AMERICAN, <i>Fagus Americana</i>.</b>   | Seeds. 4 to 8 in.. 02 | 10   | 30    | 2 50  |
| Indispensable to the landscape gardener, fine foliage very handsome magnificent tree, round spreading growth, branches close to the ground when planted singly, or can be pruned for street tree. Prune closely when planting large trees. | " 8 to 15 in.. 03     | 12   | 40    | 3 50  |
|  | " 15 to 24 in.. 04    | 15   | 1 25  | 10 00 |
|  | " 2 to 3 ft.. 06      | 40   | 2 75  | 25 00 |
|  | " 3 to 5 ft.. 10      | 75   | 5 00  | 40 00 |
|  | " 5 to 7 ft.. 20      | 1 75 | 12 50 | 90 00 |

**BIRCH, Betula.**

|   |                         |      |      |       |
|---|-------------------------|------|------|-------|
| <b>AMERICAN, <i>Betula Americana</i>.</b>   | Seeds. 4 to 8 in.. 01   | 05   | 30   | 2 50  |
| The quick growth, light branches and airy appearances of the birches, and the beautiful bark of many, make them indispensable to all planters. Thrive on high, dry, or stony soils, as well as in ordinary places. Mixed, Black, White and Yellow. The best lot of seedling Birch we ever had to offer. | " 8 to 15 in.. 02       | 10   | 45   | 3 50  |
|   | " 15 to 24 in.. 04      | 15   | 1 00 | 7 50  |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft.. 05        | 25   | 1 25 | 10 00 |
|   | " 3 to 4 ft.. 06        | 40   | 3 50 | 25 00 |
|   | " 4 to 6 ft.. 10        | 75   | 6 00 | 50 00 |
|   | " 6 to 7 ft.. 15        | 1 00 | 7 00 | 60 00 |
| <b>BLACK, <i>Betula lenta</i>.</b>  | Transp. 8 to 12 in.. 05 | 35   | 3 00 | 20 00 |
| Very fine, Cherry, Black or Sweet Birch. Guaranteed true to name and not mixed with other varieties. This is unquestionably, the finest of all the birches. Very aromatic. Larger sizes in small quantities   | " 12 to 18 in.. 07      | 45   | 4 00 | 30 00 |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.. 10      | 60   | 5 00 | 40 00 |
|   | Seeds. 8 to 12 in.. 02  | 10   | 75   | 5 00  |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.. 05      | 30   | 1 50 | 12 00 |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.. 08      | 40   | 2 50 | 20 00 |

Gentlemen:—

FILMORE CO., MINN., Feb. 26, 1900.

Enclosed please find postal money order for which send evergreens as per the enclosed order sheet. I have some very fine evergreens growing that came from your nursery some six or seven years ago.

Yours truly,

C. J. MANAHAN.

**BALM-OF-GILEAD.**

|  |                      | EACH          | 10   | 100  | 1000  |
|--|----------------------|---------------|------|------|-------|
| <b>BALM-OF-GILEAD, <i>Populus balsamifera</i>.</b> | Seeds. 12 to 18 in.. | 05            | 20   | 1 50 | 12 00 |
|  | " 18 to 24 in..      | 10            | 30   | 2 00 | 17 00 |
|  | " 2 to 3 ft..        | 15            | 50   | 3 00 | 25 00 |
|  | " 3 to 4 ft..        | 25            | 90   | 6 00 | 50 00 |
|  | " 4 to 5 ft..        | 30            | 1 00 | 7 00 | 60 00 |
|  | " 5 to 6 ft..        | 35            | 1 50 | 9 00 | 70 00 |
|  |                      | " 6 to 8 ft.. | 40   | 2 00 | 12 00 |
|  |                      |               |      |      | 90 00 |

A very popular shade and ornamental tree, but so scarce as to not be generally offered by the trade. We have succeeded in getting a good supply and can fill all orders of whatever quantity. A fast grower, on any kind of soil.

**BOX ELDER, *Aceroides*.**

|  |                     |    |    |      |      |
|--|---------------------|----|----|------|------|
| <b>BOX ELDER, <i>Acer negundo</i>.</b> | Transp. 4 to 8 in.. | 01 | 12 | 50   | 4 00 |
|  | " 8 to 12 in.       | 02 | 15 | 75   | 6 00 |
|  | " 12 to 18 in.      | 03 | 20 | 1 25 | 8 00 |
|  | " 18 to 24 in.      | 04 | 25 | 1 75 | .... |

Often called Ash Leaved Maple because of the resemblance of its leaves to the ash tree, light green, smooth bark. Extensively planted for shade.

**CRANBERRY TREE.**

For prices and large assortment of sizes see page (12)

**ELM, *Ulmus*.**

|   |                     | EACH          | 10 | 100  | 1000   |
|---|---------------------|---------------|----|------|--------|
| <b>AM. WHITE, <i>Ulmus Americana</i>.</b> | Transp. 4 to 8 in.. | ..            | 10 | 75   | 6 00   |
|   | " 8 to 12 in.       | 02            | 15 | 1 25 | 9 00   |
|   | Seeds. 3 to 4 in..  | ..            | .. | 25   | 2 00   |
|   | " 4 to 8 in..       | ..            | 05 | 35   | 3 00   |
|   | " 8 to 12 in..      | ..            | 10 | 60   | 5 00   |
|   | " 12 to 18 in.      | 04            | 15 | 1 25 | 9 00   |
|   | " 18 to 24 in.      | 06            | 20 | 1 50 | 13 00  |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft..       | 10            | 35 | 3 00 | 25 00  |
|   | " 3 to 4 ft..       | 15            | 50 | 4 00 | 35 00  |
|   | " 4 to 6 ft..       | 20            | 75 | 6 00 | 55 00  |
|   |                     | " 6 to 8 ft.. | 30 | 1 50 | 14 00  |
|   |                     |               |    |      | 125 00 |

A tree of lofty growth, and with sweeping, drooping branches. A useful sort for avenue planting. There is probably no deciduous shade tree more generally popular in America to-day than the Elm. of the standard American White variety. With the Elm, as with all other trees, those started from northern seed in a northern climate like ours, will withstand more climatic irregularities than those from any other region. We can furnish up to three to four inches caliper.

**HAWTHORN, *Crataegus oxyacantha*.**

|                           |                     |    |      |       |      |
|---------------------------|---------------------|----|------|-------|------|
| <b>HAWTHORN, English.</b> | Transp. 5 to 6 ft.. | 25 | 1 25 | 10 00 | .... |
|                           | " 6 to 8 ft..       | 30 | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |

A thorny hedge plant that makes an absolutely impenetrable barrier.

**HAZELNUT.**

|  |                    |    |      |       |        |
|--|--------------------|----|------|-------|--------|
| <b>HAZELNUT, American, <i>Corylus Americana</i>.</b> | Seeds. 2 to 3 ft.. | 10 | 75   | 5 00  | 30 00  |
|  | " 3 to 4 ft..      | 15 | 1 00 | 6 00  | 50 00  |
|  | " 4 to 5 ft..      | 20 | 1 50 | 10 00 | 70 00  |
|  | " 5 to 6 ft..      | 30 | 1 75 | 14 00 | 100 00 |

A large growing hardy shrub. Fruit edible and valuable. Useful for planting in grounds for screening purposes.

**HORNBEAM.**

|   |                     |    |      |       |      |
|---|---------------------|----|------|-------|------|
| <b>HORNBEAM, <i>Ostrya Virginica</i>.</b> | Seeds. 18 to 24 in. | 30 | 2 00 | 18 00 | .... |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft..       | 35 | 3 00 | 25 00 | .... |
|   | " 3 to 4 ft..       | 40 | 3 50 | 30 00 | .... |
|   | " 4 to 5 ft..       | 50 | 4 00 | 35 00 | .... |

Grows well in dry soil. Wood very hard. Tree hardy anywhere. Makes a fine shade or ornamental lawn tree.

Gentlemen:—

I went through all the seedlings last Sunday and I found all those that I purchased from you in excellent shape, scarcely one missing, and all looking vigorous. I trust they will come on in good shape again this year.

Yours truly,

DANE CO., Wis., April 25, 1900.

JOHN M. OLIN.



**JUNEBERRY.**

|   |        | EACH         | 10 | 100  | 1000  |
|---|--------|--------------|----|------|-------|
| <b>JUNEBERRY, <i>Amalanchier canadensis.</i></b><br>Fall Shrub, flowering in clusters early in May. Purple, edible berries, and much sought after. A very desirable ornamental as well as useful shrub. | Seeds. | 3 to 4 ft..  | 25 | 2 00 | 14 00 |
|   | "      | 4 to 5 ft..  | 35 | 2 50 | 16 00 |
|   | "      | 5 to 6 ft..  | 40 | 3 00 | 18 00 |
|   | "      | 6 to 7 ft..  | 50 | 3 50 | 20 00 |
|   | "      | 7 to 8 ft..  | 60 | 4 00 | 25 00 |
|   | "      | 8 to 10 ft.. | 90 | 7 50 | 50 00 |

**LARCH, *Larix.***

|   |        |              |    |      |      |
|---|--------|--------------|----|------|------|
| <b>AMERICAN, <i>Larix Americana</i></b><br>A much valued tree, both for its rapid growth and bright green foliage early in spring. Puts forth leaves earliest of any in the spring. Easily grown in any situation, high or low. Grows more rapidly in moist soil. | Seeds. | 4 to 8 in..  | 01 | 05   | 15   |
|   | "      | 8 to 15 in.  | 02 | 10   | 40   |
|   | "      | 15 to 24 in. | 03 | 15   | 75   |
|   | "      | 2 to 3 ft..  | 05 | 25   | 2 00 |
|   | "      | 3 to 5 ft..  | 07 | 40   | 3 00 |
|   | "      | 5 to 7 ft..  | 15 | 1 00 | 8 00 |

|   |        |             |    |    |      |
|---|--------|-------------|----|----|------|
| <b>EUROPEAN, <i>Larix Europaea.</i></b><br>Very much the same as the foregoing variety except being of more compact growth. | Seeds. | 3 to 4 ft.. | 06 | 40 | 3 00 |
|   | "      | 4 to 5 ft.. | 10 | 50 | 4 00 |
|   | "      | 5 to 7 ft.. | 12 | 60 | 5 00 |

**LINDEN, *Tilia* (Basswood.)**

|  |         |              |    |      |        |
|--|---------|--------------|----|------|--------|
| <b>AMERICAN, <i>Tilia Americana.</i></b><br>An exceedingly fine, large sized tree, of rapid growth, well suited for broad avenues, parks, and public places, where it can develop. Has clusters of small fragrant, yellow flowers in spring. Will grow in high or low places. The Linden is much sought after by bee keepers. "Basswood Honey" being much sought after in the markets of the world. Tree planters are just coming to fully realize the manifold points in favor of the Linden for street and general ornamental planting. They are among the easiest to cultivate successfully. Ours are extremely hardy and may be safely transplanted to any section of the country. | Transp. | 4 to 8 in..  | 03 | 20   | 1 50   |
|  | "       | 8 to 12 in.  | 05 | 30   | 2 50   |
|  | "       | 12 to 18 in. | 07 | 45   | 3 75   |
|  | "       | 18 to 24 in. | 10 | 75   | 6 00   |
|  | "       | 4 to 6 ft..  | 30 | 2 75 | 25 00  |
|  | Seeds.  | 8 to 12 in.  | 02 | 15   | 1 25   |
|  | "       | 12 to 18 in. | 03 | 25   | 2 00   |
|  | "       | 18 to 24 in. | 05 | 40   | 3 00   |
|  | "       | 2 to 3 ft..  | 08 | 65   | 4 50   |
|  | "       | 3 to 4 ft..  | 12 | 1 00 | 7 00   |
|  | "       | 4 to 5 ft..  | 15 | 1 25 | 10 00  |
|  | "       | 5 to 6 ft..  | 20 | 1 50 | 12 50  |
|  | "       | 6 to 8 ft..  | 30 | 2 00 | 17 50  |
|  | "       |              |    |      | 150 00 |

**MAPLE, *Acer***

|   |        |              |    |    |      |
|---|--------|--------------|----|----|------|
| <b>MOUNTAIN, <i>Acer spicatum.</i></b><br>Grows to large shrub size, flowers when but three or four feet high. Flowers are greenish yellow and attractive. Desirable for grouping or single lawn specimens. Very hardy. Should be in all collections. | Seeds. | 4 to 8 in..  | 02 | 08 | 60   |
|   | "      | 8 to 15 in.  | 03 | 10 | 90   |
|   | "      | 15 to 24 in. | 05 | 20 | 1 75 |
|   | "      | 2 to 3 ft..  | 07 | 35 | 3 00 |
|   | "      | 3 to 4 ft..  | 10 | 60 | 5 00 |
|   | "      | 4 to 5 ft..  | 15 | 75 | 6 00 |

|  |         |              |    |    |      |
|--|---------|--------------|----|----|------|
| <b>SILVER, (soft) <i>Acer dasycarpum.</i></b><br>One of the very best, quick growing large size. Beautiful alike for street planting or single lawn specimens. Grows exceedingly fast. With gentle pruning each year can be made into most beautiful form. Recommended highly. Our stock of these is extraordinarily fine, grown from seed in our own nursery and exceptionally hardy. The transplanted stock is finely rooted and can be transplanted almost anywhere with absolute certainty of success. | Transp. | 8 to 12 in.  | 03 | 12 | 1 00 |
|  | "       | 12 to 18 in. | 04 | 15 | 1 25 |
|  | "       | 18 to 24 in. | 06 | 17 | 1 50 |
|  | "       | 3 to 4 ft..  | 10 | 20 | 2 00 |
|  | "       | 4 to 5 ft..  | 12 | 35 | 3 00 |
|  | "       | 5 to 7 ft..  | 15 | 50 | 4 50 |
|  | Seeds.  | 8 to 12 in.  | 02 | 10 | 60   |
|  | "       | 12 to 18 in. | 03 | 12 | 70   |
|  | "       | 18 to 24 in. | 04 | 15 | 1 00 |
|  | "       | 2 to 3 ft..  | 05 | 18 | 1 25 |
|  | "       | 3 to 4 ft..  | 06 | 25 | 1 50 |

Gentlemen:—

Enclosed please find draft \$26.40 in payment of your bill of May 15th. The stock reached us in prime condition and is doing well at the present time. We are very much pleased with the goods, as well as the packing.

SHENANDOAH, IOWA, May 30, 1900.

Respectfully,

D. S. LAKE.

**MAPLE, *Acer*. (Continued.)**

|  | EACH                | 10   | 100  | 1000  |
|--|---------------------|------|------|-------|
| <b>SUGAR, <i>Acer saccharinum</i>.</b>   | Seedgs. 4 to 8 in.. | 05   | 20   | 1 50  |
| Grows to a very large size, but some slower than the Soft Silver Maples, and about as fast growing as the Soft Scarlet Maple. Strong, valuable wood. Very easily handled and will do well in any good soil. We can furnish all larger sizes for shade trees. Write for special prices. | " 8 to 12 in. 03    | 10   | 50   | 3 50  |
|  | " 12 to 18 in. 05   | 15   | 75   | 6 00  |
|  | " 18 to 24 in. 07   | 20   | 1 25 | 9 00  |
|  | " 2 to 3 ft.. 10    | 35   | 1 75 | 16 00 |
|  | " 3 to 5 ft.. 15    | 50   | 3 00 | 25 00 |
|  | " 5 to 7 ft.. 20    | 1 00 | 5 50 | 45 00 |

**MOUNTAIN ASH, *Pyrus*.**

|  |                     |      |       |       |       |
|--|---------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>AMERICAN, <i>pyrus Americana</i>.</b>   | Seedgs. 4 to 8 in.. | 03   | 25    | 1 50  | 10 00 |
| Small tree, or large shrub, smooth bark. In early fall covered with a profusion of bright red berries in clusters, often remaining on tree until well along in the winter. Rare and beautiful. We are now better prepared to furnish these seedlings in large quantities than ever before. | " 8 to 12 in. 04    | 35   | 2 00  | 15 00 |       |
|  | " 12 to 18 in. 05   | 45   | 3 00  | 25 00 |       |
|  | " 18 to 24 in. 10   | 75   | 6 00  | 45 00 |       |
|  | " 2 to 3 ft.. 15    | 1 00 | 8 00  | 75 00 |       |
|  | " 3 to 4 ft.. 25    | 2 00 | 17 00 | ..... |       |
|  | " 4 to 5 ft.. 30    | 2 50 | 20 00 | ..... |       |

|  |                     |      |       |       |       |
|--|---------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>EUROPEAN, <i>pyrus aucuparia</i>.</b>   | Transp. 2 to 3 ft.. | 30   | 2 00  | 18 00 | ..... |
| Very much the same as the American variety. Larger berries, more and smaller sized branches. | " 3 to 4 ft.. 35    | 2 50 | 21 00 | ...   |       |
|  | " 4 to 5 ft.. 40    | 3 00 | 25 00 | ..... |       |
|  | " 5 to 6 ft.. 50    | 4 00 | 35 00 | ..... |       |

**OAK, *Quercus*.**

|  |                     |      |       |       |       |
|--|---------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>AM. RED, <i>Quercus rubra</i>.</b>  | Seedgs. 2 to 3 ft.. | 10   | 80    | 7 00  | ..... |
| Very large tree, spreading head. One of the best for street and lawn planting. | " 3 to 5 ft.. 15    | 1 50 | 12 00 | ..... |       |
|  | " 5 to 6 ft.. 25    | 2 00 | 18 00 | ..... |       |

**POPLAR, (*Populus*.) Cottonwood.**

|   |                      |      |       |       |      |
|---|----------------------|------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>AMERICAN ASPEN, <i>P. tremuloides</i>.</b>   | Seedgs. 12 to 18 in. | 02   | 10    | 60    | 4 00 |
| And a large growing variety. <i>P. grandidentata</i> . (Cottonwood) indistinguishable when out of leaf. Used for nurse tree. Mixed, <i>tremuloides</i> and <i>grandidentata</i> . | " 18 to 24 in. 04    | 15   | 80    | 7 00  |      |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft.. 10     | 20   | 1 50  | 9 00  |      |
|   | " 3 to 5 ft.. 10     | 50   | 4 00  | 22 00 |      |
|   | " 5 to 6 ft.. 15     | 1 00 | 8 00  | 50 00 |      |
|   | " 6 to 8 ft.. 25     | 1 50 | 12 00 | 75 00 |      |

**RED CHERRY.**

|  |                     |      |      |       |      |
|--|---------------------|------|------|-------|------|
| <b>RED CHERRY.</b>   | Seedgs. 8 to 12 in. | 03   | 10   | 80    | 6 00 |
| A handsome medium-sized tree, of handsome shape, growing from 30 to 40 feet high in open places. Bears large quantities of red berries. Timber valuable. Foliage fine and delicate. Much sought after for ornamental planting. | " 12 to 18 in. 05   | 15   | 1 00 | 8 00  |      |
|  | " 18 to 24 in. 08   | 20   | 1 25 | 10 00 |      |
|  | " 2 to 3 ft.. 10    | 40   | 2 50 | 20 00 |      |
|  | " 3 to 5 ft.. 15    | 75   | 4 50 | 30 00 |      |
|  | " 5 to 6 ft.. 20    | 1 00 | 6 00 | 45 00 |      |

**WILLOW, *American*.**

|   |                      |    |      |      |      |
|---|----------------------|----|------|------|------|
| <b>WILLOW, <i>Americana</i>.</b>                                      | Seedgs. 12 to 18 in. | 04 | 20   | 75   | 5 00 |
| Spreading head. Moist soil. A very fine, showy tree. Small in height. | " 18 to 24 in. 05    | 25 | 1 00 | 6 00 |      |
|   | " 2 to 3 ft.. 10     | 35 | 1 50 | 9 00 |      |

Gentlemen:—

ROCK CO., NEB., Feb. 3, 1900.

I have dealt with your firm previously and in each instance have been more than pleased. I can recommend your nursery above all others that I have ever done business with.

Yours truly,

J. CLAY FOX.

Gentlemen:—

IOWA FALLS, IOWA, March 5, 1900.

I enclose herewith draft on the Northern Trust Company to pay for trees in accordance with the enclosed order. The small evergreens I purchased of you last spring made a good growth and are very satisfactory indeed.

Yours truly,

L. E. JONES.



## Large Trees for Park or Street Planting.

There is a great demand for them. We have made large shipments to many of the larger cities, and to nearly every state, for Park and Suburban planting.

By far the cheapest and best way to get them is by the car-load. Freight is much less, and the trees go through without damage, and we can make lower prices as we do not have to bale them. When not packed in a car they are put up in bales weighing from 100 to 400 pounds, with moss and burlaps on the roots, and the tops covered with straw or boughs.

The trees will range from 7 to 20 feet high, but are graded by their diameter from 3 to 6 inches above the ground.

### PRICES LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE.

#### Am. Larch, Balm of Gilead, Sugar Maple, Scarlet Maple, Am. Beech, and Birch.

|  | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000   |
|--|------|------|-------|--------|
| Either variety, $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch caliper.....     | 30   | 2 00 | 15 00 | 100 00 |
| " " 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches caliper.....              | 35   | 3 00 | 20 00 | 150 00 |
| " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches caliper..... | 45   | 3 75 | 30 00 | 225 00 |
| " " $2\frac{1}{2}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches caliper..... | 1 00 | 7 00 | 60 00 | 500 00 |

#### Wild Cherry, Red Oak, Black Ash, Hornbeam, Am. Elm, and Linden or Basswood.

|  |      |       |        |        |
|--|------|-------|--------|--------|
| Either variety, $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch caliper.....     | 35   | 2 75  | 20 00  | 150 00 |
| " " 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches caliper.....              | 45   | 3 85  | 25 00  | 200 00 |
| " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches caliper..... | 75   | 6 00  | 50 00  | 425 00 |
| " " $2\frac{1}{2}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches caliper..... | 1 50 | 13 00 | 100 00 | 850 00 |

The above prices are for trees *baled and f. o. b.* Special prices given on car-load lots. Other nurseries charge for baling.

A car-load will be about 500 trees  $\frac{3}{4}$  to 1 inch, 2,500 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches, 1,000  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches, and 500  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches caliper.

Gentlemen:—

DAWSON CO., NEBRASKA, April 28, 1900.

The trees shipped to me on the 16th were received on the 21st. Never before have I received trees in such good condition. They are all you represented them to be. The evergreens and shrubs are especially fine. I have them all set out, and as it has been raining every day for the past week, I anticipate that they will all grow.

I apprehend that you will receive several orders from this locality next spring, several parties having requested me to let them know when I send my next order so they may also include an order. Thanking you for your promptness and fair dealing, I am

Yours very truly,

J. L. MCMINN.

Gentleman:—

VERNON CO., WIS., June 14, 1900.

The evergreen seedlings and shade trees arrived in good condition. Was surprised to find such fine trees, well selected, and even more than I had expected. Up to the present time nearly every one of the large number is doing well, notwithstanding the fact that they laid for over one week at the depot, but the excellent manner in which they were packed kept them in good condition. We shall remember you next year with an order for nursery stock.

Yours truly,

DR. K. C. STORLEI.

Gentlemen:—

MUNICIPALITY OF OSNABRUCK CENTRE, CANADA, Jan. 12, 1900.

Will you kindly price the following list for me, well-packed, prepaid, etc. I do not ask stock guaranteed. I have known your goods for ten years and am quite prepared to take chances. Terms, of course, cash in advance.

Yours truly,

HY. E. HODGSON, Municipal Clerk.

Gentlemen:—

SCOTT CO., IOWA, March 1, 1900.

I was very much pleased with the shipments I received from your nurseries two years ago. Everything reached me in fine condition. All of the stock grew nicely, both evergreens and fruit-trees. I enclose herewith order for 50 Scotch pine from page 5 in your catalogue.

Yours Truly,

J. M. NEBEL.

Gentlemen:—

MCPHERSON CO., KANSAS, May 22, 1900.

Please accept thanks for sending us such fine evergreens and the excellent manner in which they were packed. The pine and other evergreens were the finest we have ever received. We will, in all probability want more next year and we have found just where to get them.

Yours truly,

J. F. CRIPPEN.

## Deciduous Ornamental Shrubs.

**Barberry, Common.** (*Berberis vulgaris*.) A fine prickly hedge plant, growing 4 to 5 feet high. Pretty yellow flowers in May or June; small red berries, remaining on the plant nearly all winter. Transplanted, 8 to 12 in. Each 12c; 10, \$1.00; 10 by mail \$1.25.

**Cranberry Tree,** (*Viburnum opulus*.) A handsome shrub, with broad dense foliage and showy bunches of brilliant scarlet fruit hanging to the plant all winter. Fruit edible and valued by many.

Transplanted, 2 to 3 ft. Each, 30c; 10, \$2.50; 100, \$20.00.

“ 3 to 4 ft. Each, 40c; 10, \$3.50; 100, \$30.00.

“ 4 to 6 ft. Each, 50c; 10, \$3.50; 100, \$40.00.

Seedlings, 2 to 3 ft. Each, 25c; 10, \$2.00; 100, \$17.00.

“ 3 to 4 ft. Each, 35c; 10, \$3.00; 100, \$25.00.

“ 4 to 6 ft. Each, 45c; 10, \$4.00; 100, \$35.00.

**Dogwood, Red Osier.** (*Cornus stolonifera*.) A low spreading shrub, with showy crimson bark in winter. Seedlings, 12 to 18 inches. Each, 10c; 10, 75c; 100, \$6.00. 2 to 3 feet, Each, 20c; 10, \$1.50.

**Euonymus.** European, sometimes called Strawberry Bush from its bright-colored seed-pods which come in the fall and remain all winter. Transplanted, 2 to 3 feet. Each, 30c; 10, \$2.50.

**Fern, Sweet-scented Shrub.** (*Comptonia asplenifolia*.) A low shrub, native of the north, growing from 1 to 3 feet high. Very fragrant. 1 to 2 feet. Each 25c; 10, \$2.00.

**Flowering Raspberry,** (*Rubus nutkanus*.) A native of the north. Leaves coarsely toothed; large white flowers; fruit like a raspberry, large, edible and fine flavor; grows from 2 to 4 feet high. Each, 12c, 10, 90c; 100, \$6.00.

**Forsythia,** (*suspensa*.) A shrub with long slender branches that can grow as a climber. If allowed to fall to the ground the branches will creep and take root profusely. Often grown to hold shifting sands and sliding steep banks. Flowers yellow; early in spring. Transplanted 12 to 24 inches. Each, 10c; 10, \$1.00; 10 by mail, \$1.50.

**Leatherwood, Moosewood.** A native shrub with neat foliage and clusters of fine sulphur-colored flowers. Makes a fine shrub. 8 to 12 inches. Each, 20c; 10, \$1.50; 100, \$10.00.

**Laburnum, Golden Chain,** (*Cytisus*.) A small-sized tree, with shining green leaves, yellow flowers in June. This is one of our finest ornamental trees. Transplanted 6 to 8 inches. Each, 10c; 10, 75c; 10, by mail, \$3.00.

**Lilac, Purple,** 2 to 3 feet. Each, 20c; 10, \$1.50; 100, \$8.50.

“ White, 2 to 3 feet. Each, 25c; 10, \$2.00.

**Philadelphus,** *Syringa* or Mock Orange. A rapid-growing shrub of highest ornamental value. Hardy. Transplanted, 15 to 24 in. Each, 35c; 10, \$3.00.

**Privet, California.** (*Ligustrum ovalifolium*.) A valuable, rapid-growing, ornamental shrub, with deep green, almost evergreen foliage. A valuable hedge plant, and also useful for grouping with other shrubs. Transplanted, 15 to 24 inches. Each, 10c; 10, 50c; 100, \$4.00; 1000, \$35.00.

**Siberian Pea Tree,** (*Caragana arborescens*.) A hardy, tall-growing shrub, somewhat like the Laburnum in appearance, bearing pea-shaped yellow flowers in May. We consider this one of our finest ornamental shrubs. Transplanted, 2 to 3 feet. Each, 20c; 10, \$1.50.

**Snowberry, White.** A beautiful little shrub growing from 1 to 2 feet high, from early fall until spring covered with a profusion of white berries. You ought not to miss this in your collection. Transplanted, 10 to 15 inches. Each, 10c; 10, 50c; 100, \$3.00; 10 by mail, 70c.

**Spirea, (Collosa Alba),** 3 to 4 feet. Each, 15c; 10, \$1.00; 100, \$7.00.



**Deciduous Ornamental Shrubs.** (Continued.)

**Spirea**, (Collosa), 2 to 3 feet. Each, 15c; 10, \$1.00.

**Spirea**, (Van Houtti.) No garden complete without this shrub. Foliage rich glossy green, turning to beautiful shades in autumn. Flowers pure white, in dense clusters along the whole length of the branches. One of the finest ornamental shrubs. Extra fine, transplanted, 2 to 4 feet. Each 20c; 10, \$1.50; 100, \$10.00.

**Showberry**, Red. Same as preceding except that the berries are red. Transplanted, 18 to 24 inches. Each 25c; 10, \$1.50; 100, \$10.00.

**Sumach**. A small tree or large shrub, of rapid growth. Leaves pinnate on long leaf stalk, turning scarlet in the fall; bears large compact bunches of red berries. An odd, beautiful shrub, 1 to 2 ft. Each, 20c; 10, \$1.50; 100, \$10.00.

**Witch Hazel**. A large, flat headed shrub of awkward growth, covered with curious yellow flowers after the leaves drop off in the fall. A very odd shrub 3 to 5 feet. Each, 30c; 10, \$2.50; 100, \$20.00.

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## Climbers and Trailers.

**Arbutus**, Trailing or Ground Laurel, in New England called Mayflower. Leaves evergreen, and somewhat heart-shaped; flowers generally white, sometimes blush white or light pink, in small clusters; delightfully fragrant. Blooms as soon as the snow is gone in the spring. Each, 25c; 10, \$1.25; 100, \$9.00; 10 by mail, \$1.50.

**Bittersweet**. (Celastrus scandens.) Handsome, glossy green foliage, and in late fall, large clusters of beautiful, orange crimson fruits, with light colored capsules. The fruit remains on the vine until early spring, and is very ornamental. Excellent for arbors and trellises. Each, 10c; 10, 75c; 100, \$5.00, 10 by mail, 85c.

**Clematis**, (Virginiana) Virgin's Bower. Each, 10c; 10, 75c; 100, \$5.00; 10 by mail, 85c.

**Honeysuckle**, Scarlet Trumpet. One of the showiest, freely flowering and best climbing Honeysuckles. Flowers all summer, followed by ornamental scarlet berries. Each, 30c; 10, 2.50; 10 by mail, \$2.80.

**Virginia Creeper**, (Ampelopsis quinquefolia) often called American Ivy. It has a little resemblance to the true Ivy. It is by far the finest of vines in this country for covering walls. In autumn the foliage turns to a brilliant purplish crimson. The flowers are a greenish purple, fruit a purple berry in large flat clusters. Extremely hardy. Each, 20c; 10, \$1.50; 10 by mail \$1.65.

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## Roses.

All field grown plants, of choice varieties. Price, 35 cents each, \$3.00 per 10 \$25.00 per 100, except where noted.

**Madam Plantier** (Hybrid Perpetual.) Pure white, fragrant, and very double; in clusters. A most prolific bloomer, with strong and vigorous habit of growth. Grand for hedges.

**Marie de Blois** (Moss.) Dark lilac, one of the finest.

**Salet** (Moss.) Clear rose color; very double, of vigorous growth and abundant bloomer.

**White Climbing Moss.**

**White Moss.** Needs no description. 50c.

**Wild, Rosa Blanda**, Flowers bright rose color, and very fragrant. Each, 10c; 100, \$4.00; 1000, \$30.00

## Ferns.

|   | EACH. | 10   | 100   | 10 by<br>mail |
|---|-------|------|-------|---------------|
| <b>Evergreen Cut-Leaf.</b> This fern is very ornamental in the fall when other plants are dead, as it remains green throughout the entire year..... | 25    | 1 50 | 10 00 | 1 70          |
| <b>Evergreen, Half Halbert.</b> This also remains green, but is not as handsome as the Cut-Leaf.....  | 20    | 1 25 | 8 00  | 1 50          |
| <b>Large Leaved.</b> Grows 2 to 4 feet high. Very handsome for pot-culture.....   | 25    | 1 75 | 12 00 | ....          |
| <b>Maiden Hair Fern</b> .....   | 25    | 1 75 | 12 00 | 2 00          |

## Fruit Trees.

We carry none but the hardiest and healthiest of stock. All that is listed is growing here in our nurseries now.

|  | EACH | 10   | 100   |
|--|------|------|-------|
| <b>Apple and Crab, 3 to 4 feet</b> ..... | 25   | 2 00 | 18 00 |
| “ “ “ 4 to 5 feet.....                   | 30   | 2 50 | 22 00 |
| “ “ “ 5 to 6 feet.....                   | 35   | 3 00 | 27 00 |
| <b>Plum, 4 to 5 feet</b> .....           | 50   | 4 50 | 47 00 |
| “ 5 to 6 feet.....                       | 50   | 4 75 | ....  |
| <b>Cherry, 4 to 5 feet</b> .....         | 50   | 4 50 | ....  |

### Sizes and Varieties of Fruit Trees in Stock. All Inspected.

#### APPLES—Summer.

**3 to 4 feet**—Yellow Transparent, Duchess.  
**4 to 5 feet**—Yellow Transparent.  
**5 to 6 feet**—Irish Peach, Duchess.

#### APPLE—Autumn.

**3 to 4 feet**—Winesap.  
**5 to 6 feet**—Haas. Stump.

#### APPLE—Winter.

**3 to 4 feet**—Wealthy, Northwest Greening, Mann, Baldwin, Walbridge, Ben Davis, Gano, Jonathan.  
**4 to 5 feet**—Wealthy, Northwest Greening, Walbridge, Gano, Price's Sweet.  
**5 to 6 feet**—Wealthy, Pewaukee, Talman's Sweet.  
**6 to 7 feet**—Mann.

#### APPLE—Crab.

**4 to 5 feet**—Queen's Choice.  
**6 to 7 feet**—Whitney No. 20.  
**5 to 6 feet**—Hyslop, Minnesota, Briar Sweet.  
**6 to 8 feet**—Martha.

#### PLUM.

**2 to 3 feet**—Moore's Arctic.  
**4 to 5 feet**—Quackenbush.  
**3 to 4 feet**—Lombard, Genii, De Soto.  
**6 to 7 feet**—Weaver.

#### CHERRY.

**4 to 6 feet**—Early Richmond.  
**4 to 6 feet**—Montmorency.

Gentlemen:—

I herewith send you an order for trees and shrubs. I ordered from your company two years ago and I am very well pleased with them, as every one of them is alive and doing well.

Yours truly,

JAMES PAULSEN.

Gentlemen:—

Evergreens received and planted today. They were good trees and the best packed I ever saw, and came in fine condition.

Yours truly,

F. W. BROOKE.

Gentlemen:—

The trees have arrived and are planted and we are much pleased with them. I look with certainty for more orders next year for village planting. The trees are not only better than those that have been shipped here by others, but are cheaper as well.

Yours truly,

J. MANDELBAUM.

Gentlemen:—

The seedlings sent to me came through alright, in fine shape. I hope they will make as fine a hedge as the one I now have from the lot of little evergreens I bought from you ten years ago this spring. I have been told many times that I have the finest hedge in this country. The fact is, it could not possibly be any finer.

Yours truly,

E. BOWMAN.

YELLOW MEDICINE CO., MINN., Feb. 26, 1900.

GRATIOT CO., MICH., May 5, 1900.

WILL CO., ILL., May 2, 1900.

CALEDONIA, MICH., June 22, 1900.



# Photographic View of Hedge

Grown from very Small Seedling  
ARBOR VITÆ, bought of the  
Evergreen Nursery Company, a  
few years ago. ✚ ✚ ✚ ✚ ✚ ✚

**YOU CAN HAVE A HEDGE 200 FEET LONG, AND AS NICE  
AS THIS ONE AT A TOTAL COST OF \$2.50.**



Arbor Vitæ Hedge, on the home grounds of  
ELIJAH BOWMAN, CALEDONIA, MICH.,  
from very small plants, bought a  
few years ago of  
EVERGREEN NURSERY CO.,  
STURGEON BAY,  
WISCONSIN.

**We Have an Immense Supply of these Plants,**  
and to the end that thousands of people may experience the pleasure  
of having a nice Hedge, Wind Break, or single specimens on their lot  
or lawn, we are making a special offer of

**200--12 TO 18 INCH TREES, DELIVERED, FOR ONLY \$2.50.** (No Discount.)

They are worth a great deal more, but we desire to get them introduced everywhere, and therefore make this remarkable offer. Not more than two lots will be sent to any one address at this price.

An illustrated pamphlet of Planting Instructions will be sent free to every one who accepts this special offer. This little pamphlet will be of great value to many heretofore unsuccessful planters, and by following the instruction given there need be no failures.

Send in your order now, \$2.50 brings to your door the 200, 12 to 18 inch Arbor Vitæ, charges all paid.

**EVERGREEN NURSERY CO.,**

(See Other Side.)

**Sturgeon Bay, Wis.**



# THE AMERICAN ARBOR VITAE.

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This beautiful evergreen is rightly named, signifying "Tree of Life," as there is no evergreen more tenacious of life than this. For Screens or Wind breaks it has no equal; its foliage will become so dense from the very ground up that no wind can get through. The bottom branches even though allowed to lie on the ground, will not die, as in every other Evergreen. For hedges it is the best in the world and may be trimmed into any desired shape. If it is planted for Screens or Wind breaks the top may be cut back each year when it has grown tall enough to suit the owner, and it will then grow thicker and more dense instead of taller. They are perfectly hardy anywhere in the United States. They thrive naturally in high dry places and on low ground. They also do splendidly on very rocky ground. If the care and attention be given them advised in our little pamphlet of Planting Instructions, there need be no failures at all, every one can be made to live and grow to the utmost satisfaction of the planter.

The two hundred plants of our special offer are each and every one of them select A Number 1 trees, there is not a single "cull" among them. We want them to be a lasting advertisement of our Nurseries and it is therefore of vital importance to us that every one of the many who will take advantage of this offer shall be successful, pleased and thoroughly satisfied with them. Our offer to send them prepaid includes all parts of the United States where there is an express or freight station.

A similar opportunity may never come again and we advise everyone who has room for a hedge, Screen or Wind break, to send in their order at once.

EVERGREEN NURSERY CO.,

STURGEON BAY, WISCONSIN.

(See Other Side.)



**SMALL FRUITS.**

|   | EACH | 10   | 100   | 1000 |
|---|------|------|-------|------|
| <b>Blackberries, Snyder</b> .....       | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| <b>Currant, Common White</b> .....      | 17   | 1 50 | ....  | .... |
| “ Holland Red, 2 yrs. No. 1.....        | 15   | 1 25 | 10 00 | .... |
| “ Victoria, 2 years, No. 1.....         | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| “ North Star, 2 yrs. No. 1.....         | 17   | 1 50 | ....  | .... |
| “ Long Bunch Holland, 2 yrs. No. 1..... | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| “ Fay's Prolific, 2 yrs. No. 1.....     | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| “ White Grape, 2 yrs. No. 1.....        | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| “ Red Dutch, 2 yrs. No. 1.....          | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| <b>Gooseberry, Downing</b> .....        | 25   | 2 00 | ....  | .... |
| “ Houghton.....                         | 17   | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| <b>Raspberry, Columbia (Red)</b> .....  | 15   | 1 25 | 11 00 | .... |
| “ Cuthbert (Red).....                   | 15   | 75   | 4 00  | .... |
| “ Turner (Red).....                     | 15   | 75   | 4 00  | .... |
| “ Older (Black).....                    | 15   | 75   | 4 00  | .... |
| “ Ohio (Black).....                     | 15   | 75   | 4 00  | .... |
| <b>Cranberry Vines, cuttings</b> .....  | ..   | 15   | 75    | 4 50 |

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

|                                  |    |      |       |      |
|----------------------------------|----|------|-------|------|
| <b>Lily, White Pond</b> .....    | 30 | 2 50 | 20 00 | .... |
| “ Yellow Pond.....               | 20 | 1 50 | 12 00 | .... |
| <b>Saracenia</b> .....           | 15 | 80   | 5 00  | .... |
| <b>Yucca, Transplanted</b> ..... | 15 | 1 00 | 9 00  | .... |

**UNSOLICITED TESTIMONIALS.**

Gentlemen:—

HOLT CO., NEBRASKA, May 15, 1900.

Please find enclosed money for additional order of American Arbor Vitae. The evergreens I ordered from you in the winter were received a short time ago, and will say that they were fine stock indeed, and the best I have ever received from any nursery. You can depend upon me for another good order in 1901.

Yours truly,

L. E. SKIDMORE.

Gentlemen:—

WE INGLE, ESSEX CO., N. J. Feb. 23, 1900.

The goods ordered from you last season came in good condition and lived and thrived without exception, even after their long journey. If you were not so far from us we could deal with you on a much larger scale.

Yours truly,

H. D. CRANE.

Gentlemen:—

CANYON CO., IDAHO, July 2, 1900.

We were very much pleased with our stock received from your nurseries. It was by far the best packed and nicest of any we received this spring, and we bought stock from many nurseries in various parts of the country.

Yours truly,

TOOLE &amp; HARRIS.

Gentlemen:—

DONIPHAN CO., KANSAS, Oct. 3, 1900.

I have received the box of Arbor Vitae alright; they are in fine shape, and the finest lot I have ever seen. I have shown them to a Washington county, Kansas, man and he was so well pleased that he will, no doubt, send you an order. I can take pride in showing them and telling where I bought them. With best wishes, I am,

Yours truly, L. L. FROST.

Gentlemen:—

LAFAYETTE CO., WIS., Dec. 20, 1900.

Please send me your catalogue of evergreens. I received an order from you last spring and they did so exceptionally well that I shall get another order from you next spring.

Yours truly,

OLE C. ROOD.

Gentlemen:—

JUNEAU CO., WIS., April 27, 1900.

The stock ordered from you a short time ago came to hand to-day all O. K. and in fine shape. They are very fine indeed.

Yours truly,

A. A. FULLER.

Gentlemen:—

STEARNS CO., MINN., May 1st, 1900.

I have received Evergreens in good condition. They are very nice plants, and we have them all planted with great care and do not expect any failures.

Thanking you for filling my order in good time, I am

Yours truly,

REV. J. B. KATRNER.

Gentlemen:—

HAMILTON CO., IOWA, May 7, 1900.

The trees I bought from you in 1898 are all growing nicely. Some of them made a foot of new growth last year. Out of all the Arbor Vitae, I only lost seven, and of the Norway Spruce, all are living except one.

Yours truly,

CHARLES HORN.

Gentlemen:—

ST. CROIX CO., WIS., May 14, 1900

Please find enclosed a money order of \$4.00 for which send me one hundred transplanted, 12 to 18 inches, Arbor Vitae. Last spring I received a hundred of your transplanted Arbor Vitae, every one of which lived for me, and of course, gave perfect satisfaction.

Yours very truly,

HENRY KANE.





Fig. 2.



Fig. 1.



Fig. 3.

## ARBOR VITÆ Screens and Hedges.

We are in frequent receipt of inquiries concerning the American Arbor Vitæ for hedges and screens, and we will therefore give here some information about this valuable tree together with illustrations of a few of the many fine forms into which it is commonly trimmed when grown for hedges or screens. Of all the Evergreen trees that may be successfully grown for these purposes there is none that can compare with the American Arbor Vitæ. Its name, translated, means "Tree of life," and it is truly everything that the words imply. It is everlasting, and once established will survive anything in the way of climatic conditions. It readily adapts itself to any soil and will stand more severe pruning and forming into a greater variety of shapes than any other evergreen. *Prune or shear in early June or September.*

Arbor Vitæ Hedges and screens may be grown any desired height from two to twenty feet.

FIGURE 1 shows a section of one of the most ordinary forms for cemetery and lawn hedges. Figures 2 to 7 are cross section views of some of the most common forms of trimming.

FIGURE 2 is a form well adapted for tall screens and may be run right on up to a height of twenty feet if desired, in the same form as shown in cut. It will make a screen that the wind cannot blow through and that will shut entirely from view any unsightly object in front of which it may be planted.

FIGURE 3 is perhaps the simplest and easiest form of any, as it conforms more closely to the natural shape of the tree. It insures an equal distribution of light from all sides of the hedge. No skill at all is required to keep the hedge always in this form. This and the next two figures we recommend for all ordinary hedges especially to those of limited experience in trimming. All that is required is a sharp knife or pair of shears and a chalk line to keep the trees in good order and perfect shape. 2 to 8 feet.

FIGURE 4 seems to be about the next in order in point of popularity. It is certainly a very attractive style with its evenly and gracefully curved top. A very easy form to produce and maintain. May range from 2 to 8 feet in height, to suit the taste of owner.

FIGURE 5 is thought by many to be the best of any for cemeteries, although it has some disadvantages in the fact that where it is planted on an east and west line the north side is partially shaded from the sunlight, a condition not conducive to the best results. But the Arbor Vitæ will thrive under such conditions better than any other hedge tree that we know of. 2 to 6 feet is the ordinary height for this form of hedge.

FIGURE 6 with its graceful concave surface is prettier than a straight one. The short vertical sides at base and hollowed out sides above require some more time and painstaking in the trimming, but to the lover of the beautiful and artistic the result is sufficiently gratifying to repay him for all trouble and labor.

FIGURE 7 This is a good form for hedges that have a northern exposure on one side, the form as shown by left side of figure to have the northern exposure, its shape admitting more of the vertical light which will in a measure compensate for the loss of sunlight to the north side. The two sides of a hedge are rarely seen at one view so that its apparent symmetry will not be marred, and the difference in form of the two sides may even be recommended as a pleasing variety, giving as it does the beauty of two forms of hedge in one.

SOME SUGGESTIONS. See that the trimming is done every year at the proper time. If a hedge three feet high is wanted, no need to let the plants grow to four feet and then cut them back, it is just that much growth wasted. A three foot hedge need not be more than two feet wide at the bottom. As the height is increased the base need not increase proportionately, for instance a hedge six feet high need not have a base more than three feet wide, and so on. It is always advisable to allow the base to grow wider on the side that is to receive the least sunlight. This applies to hedges running east and west.

Our transplanted 12 to 18 and 18 to 24 inch stock is recommended as the best sizes to plant. The 8 to 12 inch are all right and can be used when the purchaser cannot afford the larger sizes. Plant 12 to 16 inches apart. A well kept Arbor Vitæ Hedge will add much to the value of any place.



Fig. 4.



Fig. 5.

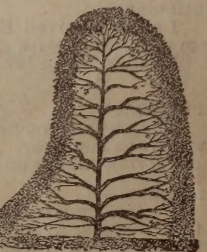
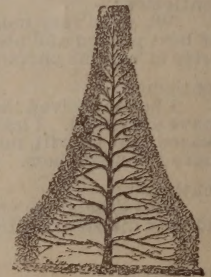


Fig. 7.